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#### MEETING OF THE

### **ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE**

Thursday, September 2, 2004 9:00 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

**SCAG Offices** 818 W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor San Bernardino Conference Room Los Angeles, California 90017 213, 236, 1800

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### ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

# AGENDA

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4.0	<u>ACTI</u>	ACTION ITEMS						
	4.1	Amendment to SCAG's Travel Policy RC At	tachment	123				
		Recommended Action: Approve						
	4.2	Amendment of legal services contract with Fulbright & Jaworski & establishment of Legal Services Subcommittee						
		Recommended Action: Approve						
	4.3	Maglev 2004 Conference in Shanghi RC Attac	131					
		Recommended Action: Approve						
5.0	INFO	DRMATION ITEMS						
	5.1	Monthly Financial Report RC Attachment	Heather Copp, CFO	194				
	5.2	Membership Dues RC Attachment	Heather Copp CFO	202				
	5.3	FY 05-06 Overall Work Program Priorities	all Work Program Priorities  Jim Gosnell, Deputy Executive					
	5.4	CFO Staff Report	Heather Copp, C	FO				
6.0	FUT	TUTURE AGENDA ITEMS						

Any committee members or staff desiring to place items on a future agenda may make such request. Comments should be limited to three minutes.

#### 7.0 <u>ANNOUNCEMENTS</u>

#### 8.0 ADJOURNMENT

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, October 7, 2004 at the SCAG Offices, downtown Los Angeles.



# ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE

# AGENDA

4.0	CAT 1	mo on	Open	PAGE #	Actions					
1.0 2.0	PUBI on an purvic card p	CALL TO ORDER Councilmember Dixon, Chair  PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD Members of the public desiring to speak on an agenda item, or agenda items not on the agenda, but within the purview of this committee, must notify the Secretary and fill out a speaker's card prior to speaking. A speaker's card must be turned in before the meeting is called to order. Comments will be limited to three minutes. The Chair may limit the total time for comments to twenty (20) minutes.								
3.0	CONSENT CALENDAR									
	3.1	Approval Items								
		3.1.1	Approval of August 5, 2004 Minutes Attachment	208						
		3.1.2	Contracts RC Attachment	12						
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		3.1.4	Approve California Trucking Association  Membership Dues RC Attachment	100						
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•		3.2.3	SCAG Legislative Matrix RC Attachment	104						
		3.2.4	Report on On-Line Banking with Bank of the West. RC Attachment	117						
		3.2.5	Approval of NARC Membership Dues RC Attachment	119						
		3.2.6	Meeting Summary from Policy Committees RC Attachment	: 121						



# SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS Administration Committee Minutes August 5, 2004

THE FOLLOWING MINUTES ARE A SUMMARY OF ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE ADMINISTRATION COMMITTEE. AUDIO CASSETTE TAPES OF THE MEETING ARE AVAILABLE FOR LISTENING IN SCAG'S OFFICE.

The Administration Committee of the Southern California Association of Governments held its meeting at the SCAG Offices, 818 W. 7<sup>th</sup> Street, 12<sup>th</sup> Floor, Los Angeles, CA 90017. The meeting was called to order by the Chairperson, Councilmember Richard Dixon, City of Lake Forest. There was a quorum.

#### 1.0 CALL TO ORDER

Chairman Richard Dixon called the meeting to order at 9:08 a.m.

#### **Committee Members Present:**

Mayor William Alexander City of Rancho Cucamonga

Mayor Harry Baldwin
Mayor Margaret Clark
Mayor Richard Dixon
Supervisor Hank Kuiper
Mayor Ron Loveridge
Supervisor Judy Mikels
City of San Gabriel
City of Rosemead
City of Lake Forest
County of Imperial
City of Riverside
County of Ventura

Councilmember Bev Perry City of Brea

Mayor Pro-Tem Greg Pettis
Councilmember Ron Roberts
Councilmember Deborah Robertson
Vice Mayor Sidney Tyler
Councilmember Dennis Washburn
Mayor Toni Young
Mayor Bob Yousefian

City of Cathedral City
City of Rialto
City of Pasadena
City of Calabasas
City of Port Hueneme
City of Glendale

#### **Committee Members Absent:**

Councilmember Paul Bowlen City of Cerritos City of Palmdale Councilmember Mike Dispenza City of La Palma Mayor Alta Duke City of Grand Terrace Councilmember Lee Ann Garcia Mayor Pro-Tem Keith McCarthy City of Downey City of Torrance Councilmember Paul Nowatka Councilmember Pam O'Connor City of Santa Monica Councilmember Bea Proo City of Pico Rivera

#### **Staff Present:**

Heather Copp Chief Financial Officer
Charlie Wagner Acting Manager of Finance

#### **Others Present:**

Zahi Faranesh SCAG
Duane Bankey SCAG

Ed Jones SCAG Liaison

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#### Others Present (Cont'd):

Jeff Lustgarten

Cerrell Associates

Ed Paul

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#### CHAIR & VICE-CHAIR ELECTIONS

Councilmember Richard Dixon, Chair, opened the nominations for Chair and Vice-Chair.

Councilmember Bev Perry made a dual nomination, Councilmember Richard Dixon for Chair and Vice-Mayor Sidney Tyler for Vice-Chair. Supervisor Judy Mikels seconded the nomination.

It was MOVED (Supervisor Judy Mikels), SECONDED (Councilmember Bev Perry) to close the nominations. There being no objection the elections stand.

#### 2.0 PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

No public comments.

#### 3.0 CONSENT CALENDAR

Vice-Mayor Sidney Tyler asked that item 3.1.2, Fregonese Calthorpe be pulled.

The remainder of the Consent Calendar was MOVED (Supervisor Judy Mikels), SECONDED (Councilmember Bev Perry) and UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

#### 3.1 Approval Items

#### 3.1.1 Approval of June 3, 2004 Minutes

#### 3.1.2 Contracts

Fregonese Calthorpe

Vice-Mayor Sidney Tyler raised concern with the phrase "implement the strategy" and asked for clarification.

Lynn Harris, Manager of Community Development clarified that the consultant contract will develop a strategy for how we will go into the Region and talk with our government partners on how we implement the Compass Program and the 2% Strategy. She further clarified that the land use distributions on the COMPASS maps are expected to be continually reviewed and refined as we proceed with implementation.

The item was MOVED (Councilmember Bev Perry), SECONDED (Vice-Mayor Sidney Tyler) and APPROVED. Mayor Margaret Clark and Mayor Pro-Tem Greg Pettis voted AGAINST.

#### Contracts (cont'd)

- David Evans & Associates
- AG/HP (Touchstone Lake, LLC (lease renewal)
- The Patina Group
- Project Manager for IT Implementation (TBD)
- 3.1.3 Approval of 2004-05 Membership Dues for CALCOG
- 3.1.4 Approve Draft Disadvantage Business Enterprise Goal and Methodology for Federal FY 2004-2005
- 3.1.5 Approve Co-Sponsorship of UCLA's Extension Public Policy Program 2004 Arrowhead Symposium
- 3.1.6 Approve Co-Sponsorship of Rail-Volution Conference to be held on Sept 18-22
- 3.1.7 <u>Co-Sponsorship of So. California Leadership Class XV Tuition, Luncheon & Graduation</u>
- 3.1.8 Authorize Foreign Travel for Ron Roberts & Mark Pisano to Make a Presentation at the Request of Seoul Development Institute Held in Seoul Korea in October 2004
- 3.1.9 Approve Coalition for America's Gateways and Trade Corridors for 2004
- 3.1.10 <u>Approval to Sponsor 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Inland Empire Transportation & Logistics</u> Summit

#### 3.2 Receive & File

- 3.2.1 FY 2004-2005 OWP Administrative Amendment
- 3.2.2 <u>Contracts & PO's between \$5,000-\$25,000</u>
- 3.2.3 Conflict of Interest Listing
- 3.2.4 SCAG Legislative Matrix

#### 4.0 ACTION ITEMS

4.1 FY 2005-2006 Overall Work Program (OWP) Schedule

Mayor Toni Young asked if SCAG falls out of conformity, would this have an impact on the OWP schedule.

Karen Tachiki answered that this is only the schedule for development of the OWP. The schedule would not change but the products included in the OWP might change.

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Vice-Mayor Sidney Tyler asked that an amendment be made to include a Management Summary of what is in the plan be provided, including written analysis and comparisons to the previous year.

Mayor Bob Yousefian asked that an amendment be made to also include a matrix for quick reference.

The Item was MOVED (Supervisor Judy Mikels), SECONDED (Mayor Toni Young) and UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED, as amended.

4.2 <u>Authorize Executive Director to Terminate TranStar License Agreement With the Partnership and Enter Into Appropriate Agreements Including a MOU With the CTCs to Finally Dispose of the Rideshare and TranStar Programs and Assets</u>

Additionally, the MOU is to include provisions recognizing the ability of the Partnership to provide uninterrupted services under existing contracts. The Item was MOVED (Supervisor Judy Mikels), SECONDED (Councilmember Ron Roberts) and UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED.

#### 5.0 INFORMATION ITEMS

#### 5.1 Monthly Financial Report

Heather Copp reported on the May and preliminary June reports. The June report is not final because invoices are still being processed and it should be final within the next couple weeks. It appears that SCAG will be at or under budget in all of its categories. SCAG also ended FY 2004 with no outstanding balance on the line of credit and also spent approximately \$125,000 less on the line of credit than in the previous year.

#### 5.2 CFO Staff Report

Heather Copp reported that SCAG is currently closing the FY 2003-2004 books. Finance is currently preparing for the KPMG audit in September and the OWP Caltrans Audit in the fall. We are currently looking at our procurement and contracting processes as well as project files and final work products, to make sure they are all complete and accessible to the auditors.

Finance will begin the FY 2005-2006 budget process shortly. It should be a more comprehensive document that will include the general fund, OWP, indirect cost allocation, and fringe budgets all in one document. It will also include a summary of the OWP including a matrix.

#### 6.0 AUDIT/BEST PRACTICES SUBCOMMITTEE

Vice-Mayor Sidney Tyler reported that SCAG has received a good evaluation of the FY04-05 ICAP Audit and received any approval in record time.

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Caltrans is preparing to audit the OWP of FY 03-04 and may go back through FY 01-02. It is probable that Caltrans will be looking at the Subregions including the recordkeeping and billing at that level. Ed Paul, Internal Auditor, will be visiting the Subregions before Caltrans begins their audit.

He added that the Subcommittee approved an Internal Audit Work Plan for FY 04-05.

#### 7.0 FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

• Guidelines for Partnerships and Sponsorships Funding

#### 8.0 ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### 9.0 ADJOURNMENT

Chairman Richard Dixon adjourned the meeting at 9:50 a.m.

Heather Copp, Chief Financial Officer Staff to the Administration Committee